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Re: U. S Patent Application Serial No. 10/798,790 entitled *Derivation of Terminally Differentiated Dopaminergic Neurons from Human Embryonic Stem Cells* by Satish Totey and Geeta Ravindran (Our Ref: REL494/4-002WO/58000)

Sir:

Enclosed for filing in the above-referenced patent application is:

- 1. Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement;
- 2. PTO/SB/08B (reference C1);
- 3. Copy of the International Search Report from related PCT application (PCT/IB04/01246); and
- 4. A return postcard to acknowledge receipt of these documents. Please date stamp and mail this postcard.

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Serial No.: 10/798,790

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Sir:

In compliance with the duty of disclosure under 37 C.F.R. § 1.56, it is respectfully requested that this Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement be entered and the documents listed on the attached Form PTO/SB/08B be considered by the Examiner and made of record. Copies of the listed documents (References C1 and C2) required by 37 C.F.R. § 1.98(a)(2) are enclosed for the convenience of the Examiner.

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.97(g),(h), this Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement is not to be construed as a representation that a search has been made, and is not to be construed to be an admission that the information cited is, or is considered to be, material to patentability as defined in 37 C.F.R. § 1.56(b).

The present Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement is being filed prior to the receipt of a first Official Action reflecting an examination on the merits, and hence is believed to be timely filed in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.97(b). No fees are believed to be due in connection with the filing of this Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement, however, should any fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16 to 1.21 be deemed necessary for any reason relating to these materials, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to deduct said fees from Vinson & Elkins L.L.P. Deposit Account No. 22-0365/REL494/4-02US/58000.

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